

Subject: Re: Bands for 1st and 3rd Thursday

From: Lorena Parker

Date: 08/09/2016 10:51 AM

To: Benjamin Johnson

Ben,

I need your help in ensuring that we fulfill the terms of the grant. In no way do I want to jeopardize the contract. I just want to stay within budget.

Let's resolve by tomorrow or Thursday since I will be out of the office next week.

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On Tue, Aug 9, 2016 at 10:25 AM, Benjamin Johnson <ben.johnson@lacity.org> wrote:

Hi Lorena! Just letting you know that I received this. I was out of town on Friday and Monday.

I need to look at see how this impacts the grant, and our ability to fulfill the terms of the grant.

I am getting on the phone with Lee and Andrew to see if there is anyway that the Grand Vision could absorb the cost of production - will let you know.

In terms of the San Pedro bands, and the rest of the summer, perhaps it will make sense to turn over the programming to your department so that you can manage the full the process, and I can fill you in on who has been engaged thus far, and because you have a deeper knowledge of the bands in San Pedro.

Anyway, we will figure it all out! More soon!

Ben

On Mon, Aug 8, 2016 at 2:42 PM, Lorena Parker <lparker@sanpedrobid.com> wrote:

Ben,

I just spoke with my board president and we have an issue paying Marco \$2,500 each 1st and 3rd Thursday.

Besides Dia de los Muertos and the LA Fleet Week Party, please do not schedule any bands that require more than power. They also need to bring their own equipment. Also, we will be happy to provide water but we do not want to commit to hospitality.

We have many local bands that would be happy to play, bring their own equipment and we only need to pay them the \$400.

Let's discuss this before committing to any more bands. We just don't have the budget to exceed the \$50,000 plus our \$800/month.

Thank you for your understanding.

Best regards,

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